Agency: Gladstone Dept. of Public Safety

Population: 22,356

age 16 and over

KEY INDICATORS	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Am. Indian	Other
Stops	5334	4565	445	207	86	2	29
Searches	299	224	54	21	0	0	0
Arrests	299	220	56	22	1	0	0
Statewide population %	N/A	84.26	10.63	2.22	1.38	0.46	1.06
Local population %	N/A	89.69	2.76	3.79	1.87	0.61	1.28
Disparity index	N/A	0.95	3.03	1.02	0.86	0.06	0.42
Search rate	5.61	4.91	12.13	10.14	0.00	0.00	0.00
Contraband hit rate	7.36	8.04	1.85	14.29	#Error	#Error	#Error
Arrest rate	5.61	4.82	12.58	10.63	1.16	0.00	0.00

Notes: Population figures are 2005 Census estimates for persons 16 years of age and older who designated a single race. Hispanics may be of any race. Other includes persons of mixed race and unknown race.

Disparity index = (proportion of stops / proportion of population). A value of 1 represents no disparity; values greater than 1 indicate over-representation, values less than 1 indicate under-representation.

Search rate = (searches / stops) X 100.

Contraband hit rate = (searches with contraband found / total searches) X 100.

Arrest rate = (arrests / stops) X 100.

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VEHICLE S	STOP STATS	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Am. Indian	Other
Reason for stop	Moving	4130	3573	309	150	76	2	20
	Equipment	349	275	46	21	6	0	1
	License	877	729	91	45	5	0	7
	Investigative	94	70	20	3	0	0	1
Stop outcome	Citation	3990	3405	334	166	66	2	17
	Warning	1036	902	78	33	19	0	4
	No action	421	350	46	13	4	0	8
Location of stop	Interstate hwy	127	107	13	4	2	0	1
	US hwy	11	9	2	0	0	0	0
	State hwy	607	515	47	22	15	1	7
	County road	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	City street	4575	3923	381	181	69	1	20
	Other	14	11	2	0	0	0	1
Driver gender	Male	3003	2517	266	148	52	2	18
	Female	2331	2048	179	59	34	0	11
Driver age	17 and under	408	376	22	8	1	0	1
	18-29	2346	1987	201	113	33	2	10
	30-39	1019	821	115	43	27	0	13
	40 and over	1561	1381	107	43	25	0	5

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SEARCH	STATS	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Am. Indian	Other
Probable cause/ authority to search	Consent	37	29	7	1	0	0	0
	Inventory	137	115	16	6	0	0	0
	Drug/alcohol odor	15	12	2	1	0	0	0
	Incident to arrest	176	122	39	15	0	0	0
	Plain view contraband	5	5	0	0	0	0	0
	Reasonable suspicion-weapon	2	1	1	0	0	0	0
	Drug-dog alert	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Other	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
What	Driver	38	28	7	3	0	0	0
searched	Car/property	29	23	5	1	0	0	0
	Driver & Property	232	173	42	17	0	0	0
Search	0-15 minutes	293	220	52	21	0	0	0
duration	16-30 minutes	6	4	2	0	0	0	0
	31+ minutes	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Contra-	Drugs/alcohol	14	12	0	2	0	0	0
band found	Currency	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Weapon	3	2	0	1	0	0	0
	Stolen property	2	1	1	0	0	0	0
	Other	3	3	0	0	0	0	0
Arrest charge	Outstanding warrant	169	117	41	10	1	0	0
	Drug violation	11	9	0	2	0	0	0
	Resist arrest	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Offense against person	5	4	1	0	0	0	0
	Traffic Violation	110	70	28	12	0	0	0
	DWI/BAC	74	69	2	3	0	0	0
	Property offense	2	1	1	0	0	0	0
	Other	8	6	1	1	0	0	0

Agency response

The City of Gladstone has three state highways and one interstate highway that run through the area. In addition, there is a major home improvement center located in the southwest corner of the City. This center draws retail business from throughout the area including residents from the State of Kansas. It is located in close proximity to three of the four highways that run through Gladstone. It should also be noted that the City of Gladstone is entirely landlocked by Kansas City, Missouri, with major thoroughfares that allow through travel by Kansas City residents. A review of the data submitted shows that 13.9% of the Blacks, 12.5% of the Hispanics and 19.7% of the Asians that my officers came into contact with occurred during stops on the highways that run through our city. In addition, we believe the data collected should include resident status to provide an accurate reflection of our community at large. Considering the boundaries of Gladstone, the surrounding areas and highways described would indicate that a large proportion of the drivers stopped in all races are not Gladstone residents. If this information was being utilized in the calculation of the disparity index, which measures against the community's population figures, then the disparity index should drop proportionately and reflect that there is not a disparity in Gladstone.